Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 27 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 28 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 27 Apr 2022 at 02:54

Confidence: High for a settled and predominantly dry picture, lower for amounts of cloud throughout. Moderate for the timing of the change to more unsettled conditions on Sunday.

Headline for Wednesday 27 Apr 2022: A dry day with the best of the sunshine during the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 27 Apr 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	<05%	<05%	00%	00%

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Weather: A chilly start with sunny intervals, although the odd mist patch possible in the valleys and some low cloud may cover a few slopes in the east around dawn. A fair amount of cloud likely through the morning, but tending to thin and break mid-afternoon onwards. Dry throughout with light winds.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% becoming 100% after dawn.

Low Cloud and visibility: Some patches of cloud may affect east and southeastern slopes between around 200-400 metres first thing in the morning, bringing some locally poor visibility, this quickly lifting to leave all cloud bases above the summits through the day with good visibility at all levels.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	11/14 E	10/15 E	7/11 E	10/15 NE	10/14 NE	12/17 E	11/16 E
600	11/13 E	10/14 E	7/11 N	11/16 NE	7/12 NE	10/16 E	9/14 E
300	7/13 E	8/12 E	6/11 N	10/15 NE	7/13 NE	8/15 E	8/14 E
Valley	7/13 SE	8/12 E	7/12 N	10/16 NE	8/14 NE	8/15 E	8/14 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	3/-1	3/-1	5/2	6/3	5/2	4/-0	2/-2
600	6/2	6/3	7/5	8/5	7/5	6/3	4/1
300	7/5	9/7	10/8	11/9	10/8	8/6	6/4
Valley	8/6	10/8	11/10	12/9	10/9	8/6	7/5
Freezing Level*	1300m	1200m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1200m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Layers are recommended as even with light winds it will still feel close to or below freezing on the summits. Strong sunlight and high UV levels are possible into the afternoon and sun protection is advised.

Forecast for Thursday 28 Apr 2022

Weather: A bright, largely sunny but frosty start to the morning, with early patchy mist and shallow fog in the valleys clearing soon after dawn. Remaining dry with sunny spells throughout the day, but with a veil of high cloud making the sunshine rather hazy in the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Easterly 10-15mph isolated gusts 20mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% becoming 100%.

Low Cloud and visibility: Some patchy mist and fog at first giving locally poor visibilities, but this will readily lift after dawn with summits remaining cloud free through the rest of the day, and with good visibility at all levels.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 1 Celsius becoming plus 14 Celsius.
At 800m: Minus 1 Celsius becoming plus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: 700m at first rising above the summits through the day.

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